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On page 29, the first full paragraph, please amend as follows:

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Alternative end fastenings are shown in Figs. 10 and 11 wherein the ends are overlapped and releasably secured one to the other. In Fig. 10, the hemmed edge of side panel 62 is connected to joining panel 63 using two parallel strips 98, 99 of cohesive releasable fastener material on each panel. The joining panel 63 is releasably connected to side panel 64, as shown in Fig. 11, through the hemmed edges which have reinforcing tapes 95 and 96. A plurality of loops 94 are fixed along the length of the edges with each loop threaded through a ring 90 in a butterfly pattern. As shown, the loops 94 on panel 63 are connected to releasable clamps 92. The clamps 92 cooperate with a double ended ring 90. The double ended rings 90 are attached to the loops on panel 64. To close the air gap at the extreme edges of the panels, a cohesive fastener 99, such as Velcro, is attached to both panels. The reinforcing tapes and the loops may be of the same material as the barrier.

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